7.2. Response to CQ 24-2021 - By-law to Require All Property Owners to Maintain Their Properties Free from Rodents and Further Researching Best Practices from Other Municipalities - City Wide

Moved by: Councillor Costante
Seconded by: Councillor Sleiman

Decision Number: CR57/2022
That the report of the Commissioner of Legal & Legislative Services dated January 31, 2022 entitled "Response to CQ 24-2021 - By-law to Require All Property Owners to Maintain Their Properties Free from Rodents and Further Researching Best Practices from Other Municipalities - City Wide" **BE RECEIVED** for information; and further,

That administration **BE DIRECTED** to report back at a future date on the data collected and potential strategies to target the issue of rodents in our community; and further,

That Administration **BE DIRECTED** to initiate an education and awareness campaign so residents are more aware of the existing Rodent Extermination Program.
Carried.

Report Number: C 18/2022
Clerk's File: AB2022

7.3. Placement of Question on the October Municipal Ballot

Moved by: Councillor McKenzie
Seconded by: Councillor Morrison

Decision Number: CR58/2022
That the report from the City Clerk regarding the placement of a question on the municipal ballot for the October 24, 2022 citywide election **BE RECEIVED** for information.
Carried.

Report Number: CM 2/2022
Clerk's File: ACEE/14248

10. PRESENTATION

10.1. Update Regarding the On-Going Security Situation Involving the Ambassador Bridge

Police Chief Pam Mizuno and Deputy Chief Jason Bellaire, Windsor Police Service

Police Chief Pam Mizuno and Deputy Chief Jason Bellaire, Windsor Police Service, appear before Council to provide the Mayor and Members of Council with an update regarding the ongoing

security situation involving the Ambassador Bridge and begin by thanking City Council for its support, indicating that with the support of all levels of government, several police agencies, other law enforcement and community partners, including the community itself, Huron Church Road and the Ambassador Bridge are now open; a temporary traffic strategy is currently in place that takes into consideration the risk of further protests and includes traffic interruptions for motorists travelling east/west; and conclude by stating that all steps are being taken to ensure that an appropriate and safe full reopening of the roadway is possible while still protecting the integrity of the international border.

Moved by: Councillor McKenzie
Seconded by: Councillor Gill

Decision Number: CR76/2022
That Rule 13.9 of the Procedure By-law **BE WAIVED** to introduce a motion for consideration without prior notice regarding the security and protection of the international crossing in Windsor.
Carried.

Clerk's File: GF2022

Moved by: Councillor Francis
Seconded by: Councillor Gill

Decision Number: CR77/2022
That Council **DIRECT** Administration to request that the Federal and Provincial governments partner on a long-term sustainable model, including funding, to ensure the security and protection of the international crossings in Windsor, including the Ambassador Bridge; as well as request for funding of all costs incurred to date by the City relative to security and protection measures already undertaken and underway; and

That Council **DIRECT** Administration to review the staffing models, including training programs, for City enforcement and security personnel, to ensure the City's readiness to manage the potential of ongoing protests.
Carried.

Clerk's File: GF2022

8. CONSENT AGENDA

8.1. Acquisition of Firefighter Protective Ensembles (Bunker Gear) - City Wide

Moved by: Councillor Sleiman
Seconded by: Councillor Bortolin

County of Essex

Gary McNamara
Essex County Warden
The Corporation of the County of Essex

February 10, 2022

The Honourable Bill Blair
Minister of Emergency Preparedness
House of Commons
Ottawa, ON K1A 0A6

Via email to bill.blair@parl.gc.ca

Re: Support for Windsor Police Service Request for Resources – Ambassador Bridge Demonstration

Dear Minister Blair,

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Regards,

Gary McNamara
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ENCL: Windsor Police Service Letter Requesting Federal Resources, dated February 9, 2022

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February 10, 2022

The Honourable Sylvia Jones
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Via email to sylvia.jones@pc.ola.org

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